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Hq. 12th Army Group
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G-3 REPORT

Maps: G.S.G.S. 4336 and 4249, 1:250,000
12 AG OUTLINE MAP 1:1,500,000
(Situation Map attached).

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1. FRONT LINE: See Map.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: See Map.
3. ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS.

6TH ARMY GROUP. (241200B). FIRST FRENCH ARMY. (Army Troops). GROUPEMENT de CLERCK and 1st French Armored Division (with 9th RCA atchd). No change.

I and II French Corps. No change.

21 ARMY GROUP. (241200B). French forces assumed responsibility for the area of DUNKERQUE H2584 effective 220600B May.

I British Corps. No change.

SECOND BRITISH ARMY. (Army Troops). 8th US Division, 6th British Airborne Division and 82d US Airborne Division. All no change.

VIII British Corps. 5th Division. 15th Brigade concentrated in the area T0999 - T1981 - T0679. 15th Division. (With 106th Br AA Bde atchd). Units of the 46th Brigade concentrated in the vicinity of 00304 and other units concentrated in the vicinity of W6744.

XII British Corps. 7th Armored Division. (With 160th Bde atchd). Completed regrouping in place.

XXX Corps. 43d Division. Units of the division concentrated in the vicinity of S9001 and other units concentrated in the vicinity of S3404. 8th Armored Brigade. (Erroneously reported as 8th Armd Div in G-3 Report No. 353 dated 242300B May). Concentrated in the area X3323 - X3015 - X3821.

FIRST CANADIAN ARMY. (Army Troops). 5th Canadian Armored Division (with 18th Cdn Armd Car Regt atchd), 1st Canadian Infantry Brigade Group and 2d Canadian Armored Brigade. All no change.

I Canadian Corps. No change.

II Canadian Corps. 2d Canadian Division. Artillery units concentrated in the area R1845 - R1450 - R2646 - R2346.

AIR. (24 May). No operations.

4. WEATHER (Germany).

Precipitation: Scattered light rain in the morning. Clouds: Scattered to overcast. Visibility: 2 - 3 miles at dawn, becoming 5 - 8 miles by noon, except in local rain where limited to 3 miles. Wind: 8 mph, east. Temperatures at WIESBADEN: Maximum 63° F. Minimum 45° F.

5. OUR OPERATIONS.

12TH ARMY GROUP. SEVENTH ARMY. German Nineteenth Army, less horse drawn transport, closed in LANDKREIS WOLFRATSHAUSEN Y8030. Horse drawn transports enroute to that area.

XXI Corps. No change.

VI Corps. 2d French Armored Division. Continued movement to an assembly area in the vicinity of METZ U8757.

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THIRD ARMY. XV Corps. 106th Cavalry Group. Elements entered AINET X0008.

XX Corps. 9th Division. Continued occupation of its new sector in the vicinity of INGOLSTADT T7125.

XII Corps. 5th Division. Continued to occupy its new sector in the vicinity of VILSHOFEN Q0219.

V Corps. Czechoslovakian Armored Brigade. Relieved the 406th Field Artillery Group in the area Q0495 - Q1985 - Q2692 - L3705 - L3912 - L1723.

III Corps. No change.

NINTH ARMY. (Army Troops). 2d Armored Division. No change.

VIII, VII, XIII and XIX Corps. All no change.

XVI Corps. 29th Division. Completed the relief of units of II Canadian Corps and assumed responsibility for the BREMEN W7499 ENCLAVE which includes LANDKREIS WESERMARSCH R4525, LANDKREIS WESERMUNDE R6540, LANDKREIS OSTERHOLZ R7015 and LANDKREIS BREMEN W7499 at 242359B. The 29th Division was relieved from attachment to XVI Corps and placed under direct control of Ninth Army on 24 May.

FIFTEENTH ARMY. (Army Troops). 66th Division. Continued movement to an assembly area in the vicinity of KOBLENZ L9094. Attached to XXIII Corps on 25 May.

XXIII and XXII Corps. No change.

6. COMMAND POSTS: Changes during the day.

12th Army Group: 84th Division BAD PYRMONT C0478; 11th Armored Division URFAHR V8489; Czechoslovakian Armored Brigade Q2192.

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